dated 27th January 1938, have been postponed to 25th and 26th February 1938 respectively as noted below :—

Name of Depot	Date of sale as originally notified	Date to which they are postponed and on which they will be held.
1. Mysore Wood-Yard ..	23rd February 1938 ..	25th February 1938.
2. Manchegowdanahalli ..	22nd February 1938 ..	26th February 1938.

Notification dated the 1st February 1938.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting Turpa leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations in Maddur Taluk of the Mysore District from the date of confirmation of the sale up to the end of June 1940 will be sold in public auction by the Forest Range Officer, Mandya, in Maddur Travellers' Bungalow at 3 P.M. on Monday, 21st February 1938.

2. For further particulars, please see the detailed notification dated 21st May 1937, published on pages 808 and 809, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 27th May 1937.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 20th January 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed tender notification dated the 20th January 1938 regarding the supply of rations to the Elephants working in this Division during the year 1938, published on pages 111-112, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 27th January 1938.

Last date of receiving the tender is 16th February 1938 up to 2 P.M.

Notification dated 1st February 1938.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thupra leaves of the Taluks of the Shimoga District on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations from the date of confirmation of the sale up to end of June 1939, will be sold Hobliwar or Talukwar by public auction at the place noted below.

Taluk	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
1. Nagar Taluk (Portion comprised in Ripponpet Range only.)	Arsalu	26th February 1938 (2 P.M.)	The Forest Sub-Division Officer, Ayanur.

N.B.—(*a*) Government have reserved their power of issuing individual licenses for *bona fide* local consumers.

(*b*) Excludes the Produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village Forests.

1. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous lease will not be permitted to bid.

3. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer conducting the sale, a sum of Rs. 50. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

4. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

5. The successful bidders shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Taluk or District Treasury one-fourth sale amount (exclusive of the deposit amount already paid) together with Local Cess at one anna per rupee, Railway Cess at three pies per rupee and Education cess at six pies per rupee on the entire sale amount. In default of payment, the deposit already paid will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by such resale, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N.B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. If the sale is not confirmed, the amount paid will be refunded.

7. The accepted bidder shall pay the balance of sale amount within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale and execute an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder. In default, the acceptance of the bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) The lessee, his agents or servants shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in Forest in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires, as may break out accidentally.

(*e*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the Forests all produce collected under the terms of the lease before the 30th June 1938.

(*f*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

8. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled, and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 25 which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue.

9. Interest will be charged on all belated payments at the rates in force.

P. KRISHNASWAMI RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 24th January 1938.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification published on pages 150-151, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 3rd February 1938 regarding the auction sale of timber in Kumsi Depot on the 18th February 1938 at 3 P.M.

Notification dated the 2nd February 1938.

It is hereby notified for general information of the public that under Section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation that the following quantity of timber found unclaimed in Haggere Village, Karur Hobli, Sagar Taluk, and are left in the custody of one Ganapaya of Holebail.

Persons having any claim to the said timber are hereby required to present a statement of their claim to the District Forest Officer, Sagar, within a month from the date of publication of this Notice and establish their claims, failing which the timber will be forfeited to Government under Section 42 of the said Regulation.

Name of village and taluk	Place where the timber is found	Kind	Measurements
Heggare village, Karur Hobli, Sagar Taluk.	Heggare village	Belalu	15-6×5-6=29 C.ft. 12-3×3-9=11 „ 7-8×3-4=5 „
			Total 3=45 C.ft.

D. NARASIMHAMOORTY RAO,
District Forest Officer.